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ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, May 16.



APT. Dennis, of his Majesty's Ship the *Centurion*, arrived this Day with an Express from Vice-Admiral Anson, giving an Account, that on the 3d Instant, the Squadron under his Command, consisting of the following Ships, viz.

Ships.	Commanders.	Guns.
Prince George	Vice-Ad. Anson	90
	Capt. Bentley	
Devonshire	R. Ad. Warren	66
	Capt. West	

Namur	Hon. Capt. Boscawen	74
Monmouth	Capt. Harrison	64
Prince Frederick	Capt. Norris	64
Yarmouth	Capt. Brett	64
Princess Louisa	Capt. Watson	60
Defiance	Capt. Greenville	60
Nottingham	Capt. Saunders	60
Pembroke	Capt. Fincher	60
Windfor	Capt. Howay	60
Centurion	Capt. Dennis	50
Falkland	Capt. Barradall	50
Bristol	Hon. Capt. W. Montagu	50
Ambuscade	Capt. John Montague	40
Falcon Sloop	Capt. Gwynn	10
Vulcan Fireship	Capt. Pattigrew	

Being off Cape Finisterre, which bore S. 3-4ths E. distant 24 Leagues, fell in with a French Fleet, consisting of 38 Ships, 9 of which shorten'd Sail, and were drawing into a Line of Battle a-head; and the rest of the Fleet, which appeared to be under their Convoy, stretch'd to the Westward with all the Sail they could set. Mr. Anson formed his Fleet into a Line, but observing by the Motions of the Enemy, that their Aim was to gain Time, and endeavour to escape under Favour of the Night, he made the Signal for the whole Fleet to chase and engage the Enemy, without any Regard to the Line of Battle. The *Centurion*, Capt. Dennis, having got up with the sternmost French Ship about 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon, began to engage her, upon which Two of the Enemy's largest Ships bore down to her Assistance. The *Namur*, *Defiance*, and *Windfor*, being the next headmost Ships, soon entered into the Action, and after having disabled those French Ships, in such a Manner, that the British Ships a-stern might soon come with them, they made Sail a-head, to prevent the Van of the Enemy from escaping; as did also several other Ships of the Fleet. The *Yarmouth* and *Devonshire*, having got up and engaged the Enemy, and the *Prince George* being near the *Invincible*, and going to fire into her, all the Ships in the Enemy's Rear struck their Colours between 6 and 7 o'Clock, as did all those which were in the Line before Night. Vice-Admiral Anson brought too at 7, having detach'd the *Monmouth*, *Yarmouth*, and *Nottingham*, to pursue the Convoy, who then bore W. by S. at about 4 or 5 Leagues Distance, so that there are Hopes of having a very good Account of them. The *Falcon Sloop*, which the Vice-Admiral had sent after the Convoy during the Action, with Orders to make Signals for a Guidance to the other Ships, returned to the Fleet the next Day with the *Dartmouth* Indiaman.

The Number and Quality of the Ships taken from the Enemy are as follows, viz.

Ships of War belonging to the French King.

Ships	Commanders	Guns	Men.
Le Serieux	M. de la Jonquiere, } Chef d'Escadre	66	556
L'Invincible	M. de St. George	74	700
Le Diamant	Hoquart	56	450
Le Jason	Beccard	52	355
Le Rebis	M ^{re} Carty	52	328
Le Gloire	Salelle	44	330

East-India Company's Ships fitted as Men of War.

L'Apollon	De Santons	30	132
Le Philibert	Cellie	30	170
Le Thetis	Macon	20	100

East-India Ship taken by the Falcon Sloop.

Le Dartmouth	Penoche	18	50
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The Loss on our Side was not very considerable, except that of Capt. Greenville of the *Defiance*, who was an excellent Officer, and whose Death cannot be sufficiently lamented. Capt. Boscawen of the *Namur*, was wounded in the Shoulder with a Musquet Ball, but is a fair Way of Recovery.

The French Chef d'Escadre, M. de la Jonquiere, was shot under the Blade-Bone of both his Shoulders, but it was thought he would recover. One of the French Captains was killed, and another lost his Legs.

LONDON, May 16.

This being the most, if not only, remarkable Naval Action that has happened since the Commencement of the present War, the Guns at the Park, Tower, &c. were fired on the Occasion.

According to some Letters which have been received by Merchants in great Credit at Amsterdam, both from *Marsilles* and *Toulon*, the French have attempted and miscarried in a third Embarkation for *Genoa*, which had so irritated their Troops, that five Companies of Grenadiers, who were to have embarked at *Anibes*, mutinied, and attempted to retire to the Mountains, but upon Promise of Pardon, were prevailed upon to return to the Headquarters at *Brignoles*.

On Thursday came Advice, that the *Medley*, *Dartmouth*, from *Carolina* to *Gibraltar* and *Mahone*, is taken and carried into *Old Gibraltar*.

LONDON, May 19.

From *Plymouth* they write, that his Majesty's Ships the *Pembroke*, *Windfor*, and *Falkland* are arrived there, with about 2000 French Prisoners, taken out of French Fleet, which they were then landing.

The said Fleet were to have separated in a few Days, the *Invincible* and *Jason* being bound to *East-India*, as Convoy to the Trade, and some Storeships going there: And the other Men of War, and Remainder of the Fleet were all bound to *Canada* with Soldiers and Stores, in order to put the Inhabitants in a Condition to make an Attempt on *Cape-Breton*:—So by this Glorious Expedition, Mr. Anson and Mr. Warren have actually set aside those two Attempts of the French, and may be said, in a great Measure, to be the Preservation of our Factories in *East-India*, and the important Fortress of *Cape-Breton*.—This great Success was gained with the Loss of 35 Men kill'd, and about as many wounded.—We are just informed, that Mons. de la Jonquiere, the Commander in Chief of the French Ships, is dead of his Wounds.

Yesterday

Yesterday Admiral Anson arrived in Town from Plymouth, and afterwards dined with his Grace the Duke of Bedford.

A Dutch Gentleman arrived Yesterday from Flushing, reports, that the King of Prussia had ordered a considerable Body to march to the Assistance of the Dutch; and that the People in Zealand were under no Apprehensions of being greatly annoy'd by the French.

Admiralty-Office, May 26. The *Vigilante* and the *Modeste*, French East-India Ships, of Twenty-two Guns each, being Part of the Convoy, (and the only East-India Ships) which escaped from Vice-Admiral Anson, during the Engagement on the 3d Instant, have been taken by his Majesty's Ships, the *Monmouth*, *Nottingham*, and *Yarmouth*, which were sent by the Admiral to chase, and are brought into Portsmouth. The *Monmouth* has also taken the *King-David* from Bourdeaux, and the *Charming Susan* from Rochelle, bound to Cayenne, with Provisions and Merchandize, and the *Orient* from Rochelle, bound to Martinico; the two former are brought into Plymouth, but the *Orient* parted Company, as did another taken by the *Nottingham*, and are not yet come in.

L O N D O N, May 28.

Commodore Mitchel, who commands the British Men of War and-Frigates upon the Coast of Zealand, has received Orders to follow the Directions that shall be given him by the Admiralty of Middleburgh: And that Admiralty, in Consequence of those Orders, and to engage the Confidence of Mr. Mitchel and the British Court, communicated to him their Injunction to their own Ships and Frigates, to take or destroy all Vessels bearing the Colours of France, or coming from that Kingdom which was published some Time ago in the London Gazette and other Papers.

We hear that Lord Dumblanrig, Son of his Grace the Duke of Queensberry, who has been in the King of Sardinia's Service several Years, has a Commission given him by the States, to raise a Regiment in Scotland for their Service, with the Privilege of appointing the Officers himself.

It is said the Invincible, taken lately from the French, is allowed by the French, and by all the English who have seen her, to be the best Ship ever built in France.

All the Defectors from the French Army agree, that it is encamped with the Center at Wakefeld, the Left at Mechlin, and the Right at Louvain; and that Marshal Saxe seemed to be in Readiness to pass the Dyle, as soon as the King his Master arrived.

We hear that two large Fleets will speedily be fitted out, one of them is to be on the Cruise, the other to guard the Coasts, and to relieve each other occasionally.

A French Ship, for Marfeilles from Turkey, is taken by the English, and carried into Port-Mahon.

They write from Vienna, that the Imperial Court hath sent Orders to General Count Brown, for him to march into the State of Genoa as many Troops as may be yet necessary for the sudden Reduction of the Revolters, that the whole Imperial Army may again march towards the Varo. And Sir Thomas Robinson, the English Minister at Vienna, has also wrote to Admiral Medley at the Desire of that Court, recommending it to his Care, to keep the Port of Genoa so block'd up by his Squadron, that none of the Enemy's Transports may enter for the future, as too many of them have hitherto done.

Extract of a Letter from Norwich, dated May 24.

A Fish of a prodigious Size was last Week taken off Robin-Hood's-Bay, which the Curious are at a Loss to find a Name for. It has a Head like a Goat; a Tail like a Greyhound; only Two Feet, not unlike those of an Ox, but somewhat shorter; and webbed like a Duck, it is as large as a middling Horse; it eats any Fish; drinks Salt-Water, and is likely to live.

Yesterday 20 Waggon, guarded by 150 Marines, draughted out the Regiments of the Colonels Frazer, Cockran, and Duncan, was brought to the Bank from Portsmouth, laden with 108 Barrels of Silver, and 12 Boxes of Gold, taken from the French by the Admirals Anson and Warren: They went thro' the City, amidst the joyful Acclamations of the People on so happy an Event. The Share of every Marine on board, it's said, will amount to 150 l. and next Week forty more Waggon are expected.

Admiral Warren is, we hear to have only 10 Men of War of the Line in his Squadron.

It's expected that the Trial of Arthibald Stewart Esq; late Provost of Edinburgh, will come on the 8th of June next, for some Misdemeanor in the Delivery of the City to the Rebels, and the Lord Advocate of Scotland sets out next Week for Scotland to carry on the said Prosecution.

Down, May 26. Yesterday after Post pass'd this Road, from the

Down, the Duke of Cumberland, Hardwick and Kingston Privateers, of 49 Carriage Guns, and 230 Men each, on a Cruise to the Westward, under the Command of Commodore Adon.

By a young LADY.

On her Father having desired her to forbid all young Men the House.

WHEN filial Words describe a Daughter's Grief,
The Heart parental, ought to plead Relief;
Ease all the Pain, alleviate all the Woe,
And stem the Source from whence the Sorrows flow:
But then, if Reason join the Daughter's Side,
The Father sure will walk by Reason's Guide;
Divest his Thoughts of that false Prejudice,
That every Woman must be giv'n to Vice.

SOCIETY you know's a Bliss design'd
To form the Manners and instruct the Mind;
By mutual Converse mutual Wants supply,
To teach us how to live and to die;
By free-born Thoughts to form a Judgment clear,
Know right from wrong, and what is bad to fear:
And must I then the social Bliss forego?
'Cause Woman's frail, or Woman may be so?
Must I obey? Decree too hard I find,
Must Woman live a-part from all Mankind?
Freedom and Virtue blest'd Product of our Isle,
Grow on one Stalk, and flourish in one Soil;
Freedom and Virtue wither in one Hour,
There is no Virtue when not in our Power.

Believe me, Father, what knows most Restraint,
To that the Passions are more strongly bent;
Forbidden Fruit first ruin'd Mother Eve,
Forbidden Things We mostly long to have:
Think you Vice banish'd from the Monkish State?
Or Virtue guarded by the Convent Grate?
No Vows in Convents, Lust can there aswage,
For Fires conceal'd flame with a fiercer Rage.

Forgive, dear Sire, if an Offence it be,
For British Fair to sue for LIBERTY:
Britannia's Fair, unpotted in your Fame,
Forgive, if I assume in Britain's Name. CAROLINA.

NO worse Offence an Author can commit,
Than print the Scribblings of a wou'd-be-Wit.
The nauseous Drops of each low Writer's Quill,
Will turn the Stomach like the Doctor's Pill,
Give rude Insult to Reason and to Sense, —
Follies in Print, are twice Impertinence.
What needs I lie to form a nice Excuse?
It's plain Ignotus wrote without a Muse;
Wrote Panegyrick, poetically curs'd,
If not the best, ergo, to be the worst;
For Poetry no Medium can admit;
No Reader suffers an indiff'rent Wit:
Then sure I'll stand excus'd by each Suffrage,
Since printing it would blotted half a Page.

CHARLES-TOWN, August 3.

Last Thursday the Hon. William Muddlen, Esq; was married to Miss Sarah Wilkinson. As was also, John Morston, Esq; to Miss Dorothy Dry.

SHIP-DEPARTURE, Charles-Town, Enter'd towards
Ship John & Anne, William Owston, from Scarborough.
Snow Jenny, James, & John, John Atkinson, from Liverpool.
Brigt. Campveer Packer, Andrew Govan, from Leith.
Schooner Befsey, William Seargeant, and
Schooner St. George, Samuel Skinner, from Philadelphia.
Sloop Anne, Abraham Vezey, from Jamaica.
Sloop Desire, Gersham Spear, from Boston.

Enter'd Outwards
Brigt. Charles-Town, James Rodger, for Barbados.
Clear'd for Departure.
Snow George, Lawrence Elmes, to Cowes.

EXPORTED

IMPORTED from this Place, since the first of December last, the following Goods, of the Produce of this Province.

Bar, 49,618 Barrels.	Wann'd Leather, 2180 Sides.
Butt, 11,378 Barrels.	Deer & Pork, 4052 Barrels.
Tar, 2615 Barrels.	Corn & Pease, 59,284 Bushels.
Carpentine, 3644 Barrels.	Indigo, 37,67 lb.
Deer-Skins 376 Hhds.	

Market Price at Charleston, of the following Goods, of the Produce and Manufacture of this Province.

Rice per 100 Wt 42 s. 6	Indigo, 20 s.
Butt, per Barrel, 50 s. 0	Deer-Skins per lb. 16 s.
Tar, 40 s.	Corn per Bushel, 10 s. 0
Carpentine, 10 s.	Pease, 10 s.
Pork, 10 s.	Staves per 1000, 15 s.
Rum, 8 s.	Saltad Del per Quart, 12 s. 6

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Blank Warrants to be sold by the Printer hereof.
TO BE SOLD, for ready Money or Six Months Credit, two well qualified Negro Wenches in Cooking, Baking, Washing, Sewing, &c. Whoever designs to purchase may have a Tryal of them. Also, upon the same Terms, some small Lots of Land in *Ansonborough*, adjoining to Mr. *Christina's*; also two good Lots in *Beaufort*, known by the Numbers 359 and 360, contiguous, and to be disposed of together or a-part, with a parcel of fine young Orange Trees and Lime Trees in Boxes.

Hugh Anderson.

To be Sold at publick Vendue, at Mr. *Blyth's* Corner in *Broad-street*, for ready Money, on Tuesday the 11th Instant, the following Lot and Tracts of Land, lately belonging to *Henry Solius* deceased, taken on Execution, by *Randall Loxton* Provost-Marshal, viz.

A Lot and Buildings in *Tradd-street*, joining Mr. *John M^cCall's*.
 A Plantation containing 50 Acres, at *Beach-hill*.

The Half of a Tract of Land containing 328 Acres, on the W. Side of *Ponten-River*.

Whoever has lost a Silver Spur, may have it again, on describing the same, paying the Charge of this Advertisement, and applying to

Artemius Elliott.

Run away from the Subscriber, 2 Negro Men named *Harry* (who formerly belong'd to Mr. *Codner*) and *Yanki*, a short well set Fellow, their Cloaths diled with red Oak Bark. Whoever secures and delivers the said Fellows to me on *John's Island*, or to the Warden of the Work-House in *Charles-Town*, shall have 5 l. Reward, besides reasonable Charges,

William Mecluer.

A stray brown bay Horse, about 13 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder like a Σ and on the near Buttock with a Dart join'd to an R. Any Person claiming the said Horse may apply to

Peter Taylor.

CHOICE good Canary Wine at 12 l. per Dozen, exceeding good *Malmsey* at 10 l. and *Claret* at 8 l. Also choice good Vinegar at 10 s. per Gallon, to be sold on the Bay by

Francis Delgrast.

THIS is to forwarn all Persons whatsoever from any Ways trusting my Wife *Mary Ann*, in my Name, for I will pay no Debts by her contracted from this 30th Day of July, 1747.

John Ditter Miller.

Just imported from *London* in the *Snow Betsey*, *William Hore* Matter, a fine assortment of European and East-India Goods, proper for the Season, to be sold at reasonable Rates, on the Bay next Door to Col. *Beale*, by

JOHN SCOTT.

He continues to sell the Country Produce as usual.
Just imported, and to be sold very reasonable, in a small Store next to Mr. *Beattman's* Shop on *Elliott's Wharf*, choice muscovado and clay'd Sugar, *Carracas* Cocoa, Bay Salt, Verdigrise, Limes, &c. by

Joseph Brown.

WHEREAS some malicious Persons have given out, that I have refused to take my promissary Notes for 2 l. and 3 l. and 5 l. This is to desire all Persons possesed of them to bring them to me, and they shall receive Currency for them.

William Lord.

To be Sold, by the Subscriber, for a Year's Credit without Interest, Two small Tracts of Land, situate on *Charles-Town Neck* and fronting on the High-Road, the one just below the Four Mile Post, containing about Twenty-five Acres of very good Pasture and Corn Ground, with a small Piece of Wood Land, and having a Run of Water on it very convenient for damming and making a Fish-Pond, and having a fine Prospect into *Copen-River*. The other Piece is adjoining to, and just below, the Plantation on which Mr. *Thomas Elliott* now lives, containing about Thirty-five or Forty Acres of very good Pasture and Corn Ground, also having a small Piece of Wood Land on it sufficient for supplying a family with Fire Wood, and having upon it a very good Run of fresh Water, never dry in the driest Seasons, and also a pleasant Hill on which to fix a little Box for the Summer's Retreat; and is of sufficient Length on one side for a Rope Walk of the greatest Extent, and hath a Landing on a navigable Creek for Vessels of an Hundred Tons Burthen at all Times of Tide, and is about Four Miles and an half from Town by Land, and about six by Water. Any Person inclin'd to purchase both or either of the said Parcels of Land, may treat with

CHARLES PINGNEY.

Just imported in the *Elliott*, Capt. *Liddel*, from *London*, white, blue and green negro cloth, strip'd and white flannel, seamen's great coats, waistcoats and breeches, mens and womens worsted and thread hose, single and double worsted caps, cotton caps, cotton gloves and muphotees, womens scarlet cloaks and callimanco shoes, wool and cotton cards, ozuabruks, garlix, pistol lawns, platilloes, irish and russia linnens, holland, cambricks, muslins, calicoes, ginghams, cotton romals, strip'd cottons and paris net, mens castor and felt hats, womens leghorn hats, threads of all sorts, baby dolls, bohea tea, best english flints, needles, new fashioned ribbands, necklaces and fans, hunter's pipes, with sundry other goods, to be sold at the most reasonable Rates, by

John Lewis Poyas.

STOLEN or stray'd from off the Green in *Charles-Town*, in June last, a red roan Gelding about 14 Hands high, a small star in his Forehead, his off hind Foot white, and branded on the mounting shoulder 69, and on his off Buttock U

Whoever will bring the said Gelding, or can give an Account of him so that he may be got again, shall have 3 l. Reward besides all Charges, paid by *Patrick Ryan*, at the House wherein Mr. *George Marshall* lately lived in *King-street*.

JAMES M^cGOWN living in *St. John's Parish*, gives me an Account of a red Heifer, with a white Face and white List on her Back, branded on the off Buttock 9 a Crop and under Keel on the off Ear, and a slit on the near Ear, which stray'd into his Pasture. The Owner may have him, applying to

Thomas Mowbray.

LEFT at my Landing, some time in May last, a small Cyprus Canow, about 15 Feet long and 3 Feet broad, with two Holes in the Stern, and two in the Head, which is a little damaged. The Owner may have her again, on applying to

Charles Hill.

A Parcel of Plantation Slaves, Cattle and Plantation Tools, will be sold at *Dorchester* on the 30th Instant, for 12 Months Credit, paying Interest from the Day of Sale, and giving Security if required. There is also a Lease for 4 Years of a small Tract of Land to be disposed of, on which is a Crop of Corn and Rice, &c. by

Joseph Elliott.

Imported in the *Neptune*, Capt. *David Belle-garde*, from *London*, DRUGGS OF ALL KINDS, and to be sold by *WILLIAM RIND* in *Church-street*, opposite to Mr. *Shepherd's* Corner.

SAMUEL HURST desires all Persons who are possesed of his promissary Notes for 2 s. 6 to bring them in to Mr. *Hugh Cartwright* in *Union-street*, *Charles-Town*, who will give Currency in Lieu thereof.

JOHN FRANCIS TRIBOUDET, desires all Persons possesed of his promissary Notes for 2 s. 6, to bring them in and receive Currency in Lieu thereof. And gives Notice, that he sells all sort of choice Wines, Rum, muscovado and loaf Sugar, Vinegar, and sundry other Goods, at very reasonable Rates.